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This is a Request for filing a:

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under 37 CFR 1.53(d), continued prosecution application, (CPA) of prior application number 09/273,217, filed on March 19, 1999, of Xin-Yun Huang entitled **METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING SPECIFIC ION CHANNEL BLOCKERS**.

**The above-identified prior pending application is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this request for a continued prosecution application (CPA).**

1.  Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on April 4, 2002 under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.
2.  A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
3.  This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 CFR 1.53 (d)(4).
  - a.  **Delete** the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:  
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  - b.  The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet enclosed herewith.
4.  A new power of attorney is enclosed herewith.
5.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) with PTO-1449 form(s) and copies of references are enclosed herewith.
6. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended above:

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7.  A check in the amount of \$370.00 is enclosed to cover the above filing fee.
8.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees which may be required, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-1138. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
9. Small entity status:  
 Applicant claims small entity status. (See 37 CFR 1.27.)  
 A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.  
 is no longer claimed.
10.  Request for Extension of Time for the Second and Third Months in prior application.
11.  A self-addressed, prepaid postcard for acknowledging receipt.
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APPLICANT: **Xin-Yun Huang**

TITLE: **METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING SPECIFIC ION CHANNEL BLOCKERS**

Certificate is attached to the **Continued Prosecution Application Transmittal Letter (2 pages) in duplicate** of the above-named application.

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